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## LOCAL NEWS

Alonzo Elam has opened a lunch room in the new theater building.

Miss Jennie May, who was pretty sick a few days, is able to get out again.

Mrs. John Cassidy of Leisure had dinner Thursday with Mrs. W. O. Blair on Glen Avenue.

Miss Lula Allen, Mrs. Mildred May, May, T. C. May and Earl May were in Lexington one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McKenzie moved into the new jail last week to oversee the prisoners and property.

Bill May on Glen Avenue, has been confined to his bed over a week, but can sit up a little at this writing.

Henry Carr Rose, the local Ford dealer recently attended a regional meeting of salesmen for his company at Winchester.

Mrs. Kathleen Segal of Sandusky, Ohio, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childers and family, for a few weeks.

R. T. Kennard of Olive Hill was among the prospective candidates circulating among the courthouse crowd here Monday.

George Robison and two grown sons of Charleston, W. Va., attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Nelse Trimble, last Wednesday.

The Nettie Carter house on corner of Broadway now owned by S. Monroe Nickell, is being torn down to prepare for a new building.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Brown of Matheville drove in Monday to hear our school band play on the hotel porch. Their daughter is in the band.

Jas. M. Feltner and Miss Edith Lacy of London, were six o'clock dinner guests Tuesday of County Agent and Mrs. Yandal Wrather.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Burton spent from Thursday till Sunday of week before last at Lexington and attended the state basketball tournament.

Tommy Stith, who has been working here in the rehabilitation office, was transferred to Hazard and left yesterday to begin his work there.

Prof. W. P. Caskey of Betsy Layne was home for the week end and took his mother, Mrs. W. A. Caskey, Saturday for a flying trip to Lexington.

Roland Stacy had his tonsils removed by his brother at Pineville, Wednesday and returned home Friday noon and is just getting along fine.

Several from here attended the West Liberty-Cannel City PTA basketball game at Cannel City Tuesday night. Cannel City was victorious in both games.

Mrs. Bruce Lewis of Licking River, who is quite sick, is staying in town awhile with her daughter, Mrs. Lester Reed, on Glen Avenue. Another daughter, Miss Christine, is also with her.

Little Miss Roberta Williams, who is attending Cardome Academy at Georgetown, spent last week end here with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Williams, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Nickell.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Perry of Lenox entertained Sunday with a fine chicken dinner, their son, J. M. Perry, wife and little son, C. K. Stacy and family all of West Liberty and Nettie Carter of Ft. Meyers, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Black and son, Dickie, were in Muncie, Indiana, last week to visit Mrs. Black's mother, who was seriously ill with double pneumonia. They returned home the latter part of the week leaving her much improved.

Mrs. C. K. Stacy tried to surprise her husband Monday on his birthday and prepared a lovely six o'clock dinner, cake with candles, etc., but he is so aged she had to tell him about the little affair before she could get him home. The guests were, their nephew, Henry Carter and wife, their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Perry and little son and W. M. Gardner.

## ACTIVITY IN LIGHT, POWER

Cheaper and better light and power service for West Liberty seems assured from activities recently noted here. Some weeks ago representatives of the Kentucky and West Virginia Light and Power Company with offices at Pikeville, Ashland and Huntington, were here and took an inventory of all the properties of the Southern Public Service Company. On Monday of this week representatives of the Kentucky and West Virginia Company were here and set some poles and made several connections which had been asked for from the Southern Public Service Co., in vain for some time. On Tuesday a representative of the last named Company was here and offered for sale the ice making machinery owned by them, and in which the new power company is evidently not interested.

The Kentucky and West Virginia Company has one standard rate schedule and if the deal has actually been made or will be made, it will give West Liberty the same light and power rate as apply to the larger towns which this company satisfactorily serves. This rate, according to my information is about one-half of what we are now paying.

As the new company has a big power developing plant on the Big Sandy river it is quite likely that operation of the local plant will be discontinued.

## COLE HOTEL PROPRIETORS

The Cole Hotel, which has been in the hands of the Cole family thru two generations, is in the process of changing hands. Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stacy who own a farm on Jones Creek are trading that farm and other good and valuable considerations for the Cole Hotel property.

Mr. Henry Cole with his pleasant, genial manner has won many warm friends. Mrs. Cole was a mother to every one who stopped with them, always being kindly and thoughtful of their guests' every need. She too comes from an old respected Morgan county family, the Caraways. Her father was editor of the West Liberty newspaper. Every one loves Mr. and Mrs. Cole. In spite of living in a public house and catering to the public they had a private living room where the children could always meet father and mother. Their success at home making can be seen in the lives of the respected, honored and noble son and two daughters, who have gone out from this home to make homes of their own. They can look back to a Christian home with father and mother always there; to a life not on the street or in the hotel lobby, but to a family circle where there was always love, understanding, happiness. Oh, what a joy to be able to look back to such a boyhood and girlhood.

Cole Hotel was famous for its wholesome surroundings, its clean, comfortable beds, its good meals. The quality of the food—there was never any criticism; the preparation—old fashioned dishes, new dolled-up dishes. Variety, all to please the epicure or the most fastidious; the service was perfect.

Mr. Stacy, too, comes from a time honored Morgan county family. He is a true American and stands for clean, honorable, law abiding citizenship. He is sociable and a friend to all. Mrs. Stacy is a favorite in West Liberty. At the hotel they say, "She mothers us all." She is a fine cook. She has kept the reputation for good meals up to par.

The whole town regrets to lose the Coles, but since they are both in poor health and must retire, West Liberty is very fortunate to have such a fine young couple to take over the hotel and make this their home.

## Here from Ohio

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Walsh of London, Ohio, both natives of Morgan county, had business here Monday. They returned to their home Tuesday, as they operate a farm and cannot leave that for other pleasures for any extended time.

## Arnett to Speak

Chas. D. Arnett, candidate for governor, will speak in behalf of his candidacy at Campton on Monday, April 3, which is the first day of circuit court for April at that place.

## Here from Middletown

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Nickell and adopted son, Dannie, and Mrs. Grover Wright, of Middletown, Ohio, were here over the last week end visiting relatives and friends.

## RADIO LISTENING CENTER

The twenty-eighth radia listening center in the University of Kentucky's chain of mountain receiving sets has just been established at Insko, Ky., in Morgan county, and is the first of such centers to be established in Morgan county. It will be under the supervision of Mary Eva McCarty an adult education worker at Insko. Miss McCarty, a WPA employee, says that there are very few radios in the community, and that none of them are used for educational purposes. The set which has been installed at Insko is a battery set, and has been placed in Miss McCarty's home where most of her adult education classes meet for their daily work. The house is on the highway that connects with state highway 15 at Stillwater Bridge, and with the Garrett Highway at Insko, Ky.

The University of Kentucky's mountain radio listening center system was established June 1, 1933, by Elmer G. Sulzer, director of radio and publicity at the state university, for the purpose of making the university's radio programs and other valuable radio features available to people living in the more remote portions of eastern and southeastern Kentucky.

The plan provides for the University administering and equipping radio sets the operators of the listening centers to see that they are tuned regularly to educational and other cultural programs of worth, and to encourage people of the respective communities where they are placed to come in and listen regularly.

Funds for the purchase of the sets for such centers have been provided by public-spirited individuals and organizations. In cooperation with the National Youth Administration listening groups are now being systematically organized and supervised in nearly all of the 28 centers.

## Freight Rates

The argument between the North and South, which has been waged before the Interstate Commerce Commission for months over railroad freight rate differentials should be decided largely in favor of the Southern States, according to the recommendations of Wm. C. Lee, commissioner, and Michael Corcoran, examiner, of the ICC.

The "case" has attracted considerable attention as the eight Southern States and representatives of the New England Governor's freight rates committee battled with economic statistics before the ICC. Occasionally, the railroads and industrial interests on both sides took shots at the testimony for special reasons.

The Southern States asked for a readjustment of rates on certain manufactured and processed articles from points in the South to destinations in central, trunk-line and New England territory—the three areas into which the consuming states of the Northeast are divided for rate-making purposes. Rates on the commodities were sought at levels no higher, distance considered, than the rates on like commodities within the North.

The findings are of general character and no order has been entered. The report recommended an effort to have the parties agree upon the basis to be established.

## CLEAN UP AND PROFIT

Travel is a great educator. As one moves about there are new sights to see and many things to learn. Inevitably, one compares the new with the familiar and sometimes the comparison is not very flattering. Nearly every reader of the Courier has visited larger cities. Without exception they have been impressed with the cleanliness of modern business houses. Go into a successful store, in a metropolitan city, and you will find its stock neatly arranged, attractively displayed and, above everything else, clean.

There is a lesson in this, it seems to us, for many business houses of smaller towns and cities. In a community where nearly everybody knows everybody else there is a tendency to take things for granted. The business man does not realize the buying impulse that a clean store exerts upon customers.

There is, after all, no excuse for a dirty, unkempt place of business, whether it be an office, agency or store. Cleanliness is within reach of every business and its importance should not be overlooked.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stamper had business in town Monday.

## SEWING CIRCLE MEETING

The Cannel City Church of G. J. Sewing Circle met March 24 at the home of Mrs. Chalmers Benton for their regular meeting. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. T. Stamper. The only hymn sung was, "What a Friend." Mrs. Bert Morris read for the devotional, the 12th chapter of Romans. Mrs. J. D. Benton led in prayer. After the regular business session the work on the quilt top was taken up and progressed nicely. The top was finished at this meeting and was sold to Mrs. Chalmers Benton and another one started for Mrs. Lonnie Patrick.

Members present were: Mrs. W. T. Stamper, Mrs. J. W. Benton, Mrs. Bert Morris, Mrs. Frances Benton, Mrs. Lonnie Patrick, Mrs. M. G. Dunigan, Mrs. M. H. Ferguson, Mrs. J. D. Benton, Miss Gladys Benton, Mrs. Stanley Trimble, Mrs. Walter Howard and Miss Rebecca Spencer. The hostess with the assistance of Miss Gladys Benton served delicious refreshments of banana cream pie and coffee.

The afternoon was enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Cleve Stacy April 7.

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fannin of Index served a most delicious birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Fannin's mother, Mrs. John F. Elam, of Wrigley. It was her fifty-second birthday. The beautifully decorated birthday cake attracted every one's eye as they entered the dining room; with the little host, Farrell, escorting his grandmother to the dinner table. It was filled with the following delicious foods: egg nog, baked chicken, dressing, gravy, potato salad, corn pudding, dressed eggs, celery, pickles, scalloped potatoes, apple and raisin pies, apple sauce cake and fruit salad.

The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. John F. Elam and son, Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Whitte and two daughters, Coleen and Betty Gene, Mrs. Lenala Whitte and Mrs. Irene Hamilton of Wrigley; Boon Hall of Elton, Wisconsin; Mr. and Mrs. James M. Elam. Mr. and Mrs. Orear Elam and son, James Richard of West Liberty. Everyone enjoyed the day immensely and hoped that Mrs. Elam will have many more happy birthdays.

In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Arson Low and daughter, Gladys, of Wrigley stopped a few minutes and enjoyed a piece of the birthday cake.

## COURTING HERE

Opening of Circuit Court here on Monday of this week gave political candidates an opportunity to get next to a considerable number of our people. Charles D. Arnett of Louisville and Frankfort was more than ordinarily successful in getting a hearing to his address in behalf of his candidacy for governor. Nunnell Wilson, who arrived later in the day and who is a live candidate for lieutenant governor was not so successful. He tried to arrange for a public speech in the evening. But the country people had mostly gone home and the town folks all had a previous engagement. However, Mr. Wilson is coming back and left the folks feeling that they will hear him then.

R. T. Kennard of Olive Hill, who is a candidate for circuit judge in this district was circulating thru the large crowd like a nickel with a hole in it.

And the local candidates were in full bloom. So attractive were they that they completely blocked the sidewalks and people on business had to take to the open street.

## Property Sells Well

Sam D. Cecil with the Rowland Auction Company reports a successful sale of five fine properties at Hazel Green on Thursday, March 23. Three of the properties were advertised in this paper and are located close to Hazel Green Academy. The total of the day's sales amounted to over \$7,000 and all the parties pleased with the day's work.

## Chicken Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Elam and Mr. and Mrs. Orear Elam and son, James Richard, of West Liberty, visited Mr. Elam's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wince Howard of Hollow Poplar Sunday, March 12. A delightful chicken dinner with all the trimmings was served. All enjoyed the day.

Colonel and Mrs. M. H. Taubee of Birmingham, Alabama, are at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Allen at White Oak since Monday for a few days with relatives and friends.

## NOTES AND COMMENTS

Don't forget: Trade in West Liberty

Unimportant people rarely realize it.

Many a public discussion loses sight of the facts in the case.

Officers of the law have a great calling when they follow it.

A reverie is a waste if time unless you have something to think about.

An attractive girl lets her boy friend do most of the talking about himself.

Some of this so-called personality is the same thing that used to be known as the big head.

There are politicians who worry about what business wants but the answer is: profits.

The worker who accomplishes things is able to do today what he could put off until tomorrow.

There are lots of people in the United States who can tell the German Jews how to handle Hitler.

Just remember, when you drive an automobile, that if you take a minute longer you can drive with safety.

There are people grumbling today about their income taxes who would have been glad to pay them six years ago.

Many a newspaper, in publishing what the editor thinks the people want to read, overlooks the news that they really want.

The man who invented carbon paper is responsible for the preservation of many useless documents, business and otherwise.

Eventually women reach the stage of life when a run in a silk stocking is not important but it takes some of them a long time.

Public servants of the people, who break their necks to hold their jobs, will tell you, confidentially, that they are woefully underpaid.

Never postpone buying a good book you are sure you will have time to read it, you might not buy it and then you never will read it.

Our own idea is that unemployment and agricultural distress go together. Increase the buying power of farmers and you will see jobs for millions.

The idea that financial difficulties will prevent the Japanese from building a larger fleet is like the idea that lack of money would force Germany to surrender in 1915.

The voice of big business is, at least, consistent. For the past eight years it has been saying, "If the government will just remove the obstacles, business will go ahead."

## RETURNS WAR FLAG

Early this month a delegation from the State of Iowa journeyed to Montgomery, Alabama, to "correct a mistake of three generations ago" and return a flag taken during the war that almost wrecked the nation in the last century.

State Senator B. C. Whitehill, of Iowa, used the phrase quoted above in presenting the flag to Alabama and a veteran of the Union Army, from Iowa, sat on the stage with four Confederates, as Gov. Dixon, of Alabama, praised the "fine, gracious and generous gesture."

Such incidents demonstrate the difference between the United States and certain areas in Europe. Here a great war was well-fought and the South was whipped. After a period of unpleasantness, which is understandable, the people of the sections involved have taken numerous occasions to demonstrate the end of the division. In other lands, there has been a tendency to keep alive old hates and to look to the future for a resumption of the fight.

## COME AND GET IT

The return of Puerto Rico to Spain is said to be one of the objectives of the Franco Nationalist government, according to a newspaper dispatch from San Juan, which reports that islanders, returning from Spain, have revealed the plan.

Well, if this true, all that the United States can say to Gen. Franco is, "Come and get it!"

## FERGUSON

James E. Ferguson died at his home on March 12, 1939. He leaves to mourn, his wife, Hettie, one brother, Elbert Ferguson, of West Liberty, two sisters, Nola Patrick of West Liberty and Mrs. W. G. Williams of Oil Springs and a host of friends.

He was born March 23, 1886 and died at the age of 53 years, 11 months and 16 days.

He was raised in Morgan county and left about fifteen years ago and went to Ashland and had been there ever since. He was only sick four hours.

Prayer was by Mr. Green of Ashland. The funeral was at the Christian church and services conducted by Revs. Harlan Murphy of West Liberty and J. F. Walters of Grassy Creek. He was laid to rest in the Salyer Cemetery.

HIS NEPHEW, JAMES B. PATRICK

## AUTO TRAFFIC



By Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club  
DRIVE SAFELY

At this season of the year, when wide variations in weather conditions are being experienced almost daily, portions of gravel roads may be found in a rough condition, entirely unsafe for high speed driving. The hills are usually washed away and the highway is left in a very rutty condition.

Heavy rains, extending over periods of many hours, sometimes wash out shoulders, culverts and substructure of roadways, creating hazardous situations for the motorist who overspeeds his range of vision. This condition especially prevails in our own nearby territory. After the recent flood waters receded, many sections of the highways were left in a bad traveling condition. Guard rails along the shoulders in many places were either washed completely away or left unsubstantial. The under-ground in some of the mountainous sections has been so loosened by heavy rains and the flood until the concrete has cracked or the road itself settled to a lower level than originally built.

One driving at a very high rate of speed could so easily encounter these conditions without enough warning to be able to satisfactorily overcome them. Motorists may well reduce speed when driving over gravel roads during and immediately after late winter and early spring downpours or thru areas where there have been recent floods. Of course, night drivers should exercise even more caution.

Numerous causes are given for accidents, some insist that the steering wheel locked, or that the gas pedal stuck, or that the brakes failed, or that something else went wrong. But 80% of all vehicles involved in fatal and non-fatal smashups are in apparently good condition with none of these defects noted. Drivers, if they will be honest, can usually trace the cause of an accident to some failure in their mental or temperamental equipment rather than in their mechanical equipment, and many of them are caused by the driver's failure to take into account these possibilities of road conditions that prevail at the present time.

## "SAFETY IS EVERYBODY'S BUSINESS"

TODAY'S ROADS  
US 23—Louis to Paintsville—Very rutty and badly broken. Drive slowly and cautiously.  
Prestonsburg to Pikeville—Pavement badly cracked in several sections and guard rails are broken down in several places along this highway.  
If driving at night, take extra precaution on these two sections of this highway as the road is in very bad condition and there is no adequate lighting to warn one of the dangerous spots.

KY 11—Beattyville-Booneville Road. Bridge closed for repairs. Free ferry provided at Beattyville. Gross load limit, 10,000 pounds.

## HOPE IN GERMANY

Here's an encouraging story from Berlin:

The Bible, it is reported, has outsold Hitler's "Mein Kampf" by about 200,000 copies yearly in the six years since the Nazis assumed power in 1933, according to the Prussian Bible Society.



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## FARMERS' COLUMN

### KENTUCKY FARM NEWS

Seventy-two McCracken county farmers are much interested in strawberry growing and have taken part in meetings in several communities. Paul Farlow of the Illinois Central Railroad has cooperated in the project.

More than 600 lambs will be ready for sale in the late spring in Greenup county, where 27 sheep raisers have 95 percent of the stock. A relatively new industry for Greenup, it has already proven profitable.

Wayne county farmers interested in better hog production have sponsored the importation of purebred gilts and boars into widely-separated parts of the county. Last month, 26 were brought in.

Boyle county's record: five carloads of phosphate spread (one carload used last year); 10,000 tons of limestone ordered (double last year's total use), and at least 25 erosion control demonstrations set up with a possibility of more later.

More than 250 members of the Harrison county rural electrification project attended a meeting celebrating the energizing of 80 miles of line. Approximately 180 farm families will be served by this line. Much new equipment such as washing machines, irons, lamps, etc., have been purchased.

Goals of Breathitt county farmers include reducing acreage put to corn by getting a larger yield thru use of lime and phosphate; fencing of pasture, and higher grade poultry.

### PROGRAM FOR SHEEP RAISERS

The following nine-point program was outlined by County Agent Curtis F. Park at the spring meeting of the Mercer County Sheep Growers' Association:

1. Feed ewes and lambs well until grazing is plentiful.
2. Standardize all lambs to be sold after June 1.
3. Drench ewes and lambs every six weeks, beginning June 1.
4. Sell before fall or breeding season on all ewes that are old, have broken mouths or spoiled udders.
5. Replacements and new flocks to come from northwestern-type ewes.
6. Replace all grade, scrub and nondescript rams by purebreds of mutton type.
7. Sow such early cover crops as rye, wheat, barley or crimson clover.
8. Feed grain to ewes at least six weeks before lambing time, to prevent pregnancy disease and to insure well-developed, strong lambs.
9. Prepare lambing quarters to prevent drafts on ewes at lambing, and keep quarters dry and well bedded.

### OUT WITH THE RUBBISH

Into the rubbish heap at the first opportunity should go newspaper clippings saved long ago for a forgotten purpose, magazines, even dog-eared books and letters, suggest experts in home management at the Kentucky College of Agriculture.

Houses and also people's minds can be cluttered by rubbish preserved sentimentally or carelessly from year to year. Everyone intends to use these things but few ever do. After 10 years of work saving such things, moving them around, trying not to get them soiled, etc., it may be advisable to take a good look and then discard them. Books and magazines may be given to schools and other institutions.

### CHOICE FEEDERS SCARCE

Montgomery county cattle feeders in the market for choice 400-pound steer calves found them scarce and high in price. They plan to bring in several hundred head by May 1. Cattle on feed in the county receiving the recommended ration of silage, hay and cotton seed meal did well and made money for their owners, according to County Agent Floyd McDaniel.

### SPRAY INFORMATION

The establishment of a spray information service for fruit growers is announced by the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station at Lexington. Growers of apples, peaches, strawberries and other large and small fruits will be kept informed of the appearance of insects and diseases and told how they may be controlled.

To help keep abreast with the coming of insects and diseases, the Experiment Station has established insectaries at Lexington, Princeton, Henderson, Louisville and Paducah, and observers will report the appearance of pests and diseases to W. D. Armstrong, horticulturist at the Western Kentucky Experiment Station at Princeton. He in turn will prescribe the necessary sprays and pass on such information to county farm agents for the benefit of fruit producers.

### POULTRY SCHOOL

The following are some of the subjects that will be discussed at the poultry school at West Liberty April 3 and at Crockett April 4: Diseases and parasites of the growing chick, diseases and parasites of matured chickens, diseases and parasites of turkeys, feeding, breeding, housing, and culling of chickens and turkeys. The program will start at 9 A.M. and continue thruout the day.

If you are interested in poultry in Morgan county attend one of these schools.

Mr. C. E. Harris, Poultry Specialist from the University of Kentucky, and Dr. T. P. Polk, Veterinarian in Poultry Diseases will be on the program. Altho poultry is an important enterprise in the county, there is no doubt it can mean more to our county. It is hoped that these two schools will help in making poultry more important in Morgan county.—YANDAL WRATHER, County Agent.

## With KENTUCKY Editors

And we are told that in one district in Kentucky, two men, both around 80 years of age, are opposing candidates for Circuit Judge. . . . And one of them has adopted the slogan "Give The Young Man a Chance."—The Russell Times.

Jenkins, Ky.—Near Blackey, James Seals, age 73, was married a few days ago to Mrs. Elizabeth Sloan, 29, of Knott county. It was the seventh marriage of Mr. Seals and the fourth marriage of the bride. They will reside on a farm in Knott county.—Pike County News.

When a crate of electric light bulbs got too "lit up" as the paper packing caught fire Monday in Paul Francis' store, threatening to burn the building, the town's invalid No. 1—the fire truck—was not asked to get out of bed. Sheriff Dial Salisbury grabbed the whole crate and took the fire outside for some air.—Floyd County Times.

Washington.—A bill by Representative Bates, Democrat, Kentucky, would prevent discharge by bankruptcy of any debt incurred in contemplation of bankruptcy. Applicants for bankruptcy would be required to prove debts contracted within three months of the commencement of proceedings were not made with intention of defrauding creditors.

Twenty-five pupils of the Lily High School, on their way home in the Piney Grove section, were shaken up and a few of them received minor injuries, when six silos of the bridge just beyond George Herron's home gave way as they were passing. The momentum of the bus, and the fact that two end silos remained unbroken and that much of the flooring held, carried it over to the other side. Otherwise it is difficult to estimate how great the damage and toll of life might have been.—The Sentinel-Echo

### WASHINGTON NOTES

#### Taxes

Revision of tax structures that affect business, according to the President, must be accomplished without reducing governmental income.

#### WPA

The WPA will remove close to 1,250,000 workers by June 30 unless Congress provides an additional \$150,000,000 for relief. The President put the issue before Congress last week and indications are that the money will be provided.

#### Planes

Legislative action was practically completed last week on the Air Corps bill, which provides for not more than 6,000 planes at a cost of not more than \$300,000,000. Apparently Congress is ready to approve almost

any reasonable recommendation of army and navy experts for national defense.

### Pensions

Stephen F. Chadwick, national commander of the American Legion, says the organization is not contemplating a drive to obtain general service pensions for World War veterans.

### Arms

U. S. factories and arsenals, under a resolution introduced in the Senate by Senator Pittman, who usually speaks for the Administration, would be authorized to manufacture coast guard defense and anti-aircraft artillery and ammunition for republics of the Western Hemisphere. Vessels of war could also be constructed in government shipyards. The legislation has the approval of the State Department.

### Jap Islands

So far as the State Department knows, Japan has not violated a treaty forbidding fortification of former German islands in the Pacific, now under mandate.

### Labor

The negotiations for peace between the C. I. O. and the A. F. of L. proceeded last week, with indications that the President has warned both factions that unless something is accomplished he will take some step to promote unity.

### U. S. Navy

The property investment of the United States in its navy exceeds \$4,000,000,000, according to a naval expense account for 1938. About half represents ships and equipment now in commission, or in reserve. Since 1794 the nation has expended \$16,634,002,603 on the navy, with \$13,032,828,842 being spent since 1917. The Wilson administration spent about \$7,000,000,000 and the present Administration, including 1938, \$3,000,000,000.

### To Vote Again?

President Manuel Quezon, of the Philippines, suggests that the people of his country hold another plebiscite on independence, perhaps in 1944, two years before independence is due. While he thinks the people are for independence, he says the economic shoe may pinch them and cause a change of mind.

### Disarmament

While the United States is not averse to a conference on disarmament, as suggested unofficially in Great Britain, the consensus of opinion is that there is little hope of effective results at this time.

### War Materials

The move to provide \$100,000,000 for the purchase of a reserve supply of strategic war materials has been slowed up by the word that the President does not approve more than \$10,000,000 for such a purpose at this time.

### Neutrality

Most observers believe that there has been a distinct change of public opinion upon the merits of existing neutrality legislation and it would not be surprising if drastic changes were made in the Neutrality Act. In fact, it may be abolished.

### "Heroic Courage"

Ambassador Bowers, who has returned from Spain to consult the President, pays high tribute to the fighting courage of the Spanish people, saying "I don't think there is a race in Europe that could show such heroic courage."

### A MISSIONARY TRIP

A few weeks ago it was placed upon our hearts as a definite leading of the Lord to take an extended Missionary trip thru the south of some three weeks.

We started on this trip February 7, and was away on the trip three weeks. We undertook this simply by faith and God gave us a wonderful time in His service. We left Kentucky on highway 27, went thru east Tennessee and thru the entire state of Georgia. For our services; we used our sound system loud speaker, which God has provided recently to use in our Mission work. We stopped in the cities, towns and villages along the way wherever the Lord led. We had some good services in Tennessee and especially in Georgia, where we made many stops. The Lord graciously blessed His word.

We had a very refreshing visit in Cedartown, Georgia, with our old friend and schoolmate, Ralph Hannah, who 12 years ago last summer, worked as Colporter and Missionary here in Morgan county. While on our visit there with him, we had a wonderful opportunity preaching the gospel to the people not only in the town, but out at the large Goodyear factory, where God seemed to especially bless His word.

On our trip down, we stopped over in Atlanta where we had the privilege of speaking four times.

While in Atlanta, we had the privilege of visiting with Mr. and Mrs. George Allen. Also, speaking to the students in the Bible school, in which they are teaching. Mrs. Allen is a former Morgan county teacher, known better to the readers of the Courier as Miss Clara Lewis.

From Atlanta we went on south stopping in a number of towns holding services and on into Florida.

We had many experiences on this trip which we can never forget. One such was at Brooksville, Florida, a good-sized town where we held a service. Among the listeners we especially noticed a nice looking man who listened very attentively to the entire service and came immediately to us and told of the great blessing he had received thru the message.

He was a traveling man for a large mill in upper Georgia, and he said God surely sent me here. It was not in my plans to come, but a special providence brought me, and he said, as I listened, I wondered could it be possible that this could be the same man, that my wife and two little boys heard several days ago, 500 miles away in Summerville, Georgia. He said they came home, the little boys telling him about the service, and said to him that the man who preached said that "Ye must be born again." I did happen to be the one who gave that program which they heard.

We went on to Tampa where we made our headquarters with a former teacher in the Bible school we attended several years ago.

We went as far south as Fort Meyers. While there visited in the home of Leonidas Redwine, a former Morgan county lawyer. Then we came back up the coast and took a different route back to Tampa, preaching a number of times. We also visited St. Petersburg; preached out on the beach of the Gulf of Mexico.

On our return journey, we left Tampa coming by Plant City, Lakeland, Orlando, Deland, Daytona Beach. It was here that we got our first sight of the Atlantic Ocean. Which was, as far as scenery was concerned, by far the greatest sight we saw. We drove right up the beach by the water's edge for 12 miles. Then we came on up to St. Augustine, the oldest settlement in U. S. A.; then to Jacksonville and up thru Georgia by another route and back home.

But I was about to omit one of the most pleasant surprises I had on my trip. At a Baptist Pastors' Conference in Tampa, I met Bro. Kelly McClure, formerly of this county, and now pastor of one of the churches in Tampa. And what was our greatest surprise and pleasure when he turned out to be my wife's second cousin. I had a good return trip. Altogether, the car registered about 2,900 miles. We gave out between two and three thousand gospel tracts and gospels, and preached some 48 times.

EARL E. MORRIS, Cannel City, Ky.

### REFORESTATION URGED

More Kentucky farmers will reforest worn out and eroded lands during 1939 than ever before in the history of the State is the prophecy of K. G. McConnell, State Forester, in a statement given to County Agent Yandal Wrather today. The Division of Forestry operates a nursery in Louisville where forest tree seedlings are raised for distribution, for a small charge, to farmers and landowners throughout the State.

"The sole purpose of this project," said Mr. McConnell, "is to encourage the reforestation of worn out or eroded land. There are about 1,500,000 acres of such land in Kentucky which can never grow anything profitably except timber. Its reforestation will not only greatly increase the owners' cash income, but will improve soil fertility and help reduce the volume of floods which ravage our lowlands each year."

"Of the 700,000 trees available for distribution this spring applications have already been received for 150,000. At this rate the supply will be exhausted before the planting season ends about April 1. Species available are black locust, black walnut, white ash, tulip poplar, red oak and black oak. Locust is widely planted for erosion control, improvement of soil fertility, and the production of fence posts. White ash and the oaks have many uses around the farm, in addition to producing valuable timber, and are often planted in mixture with locust to improve its quality. Tulip poplar and black walnut are two of our most valuable trees for timber purposes."

Prices on these trees are \$1.00 and \$1.50 per thousand, which is only a fraction of the cost of production. Information concerning them, and the benefit payments allowed for tree planting under the U. S. Agricultural Conservation Program, can be obtained from your County Agent.

### THE END OF A REPUBLIC

The Declaration of Independence of various groups of people in Central Europe was made in Washington during the closing days of the World War. Thomas G. Masaryk worked with a group of Woodrow Wilson's international brain-trusters in planning to establish an American style of Republic, and their efforts were so successful that the Paris Peace Conference confirmed the plan that President Wilson insisted upon.

The Czechoslovakia Republic was successful. It appeared to justify all the efforts that had been put back of the new Government of the Allies. A conglomeration of oppressed people flocked to the standard of the new Government and gave it their sympathetic support. One of Secretary of State Lansing's statements declared "the position of the United States to be that all branches of the Slav race should be completely free from German and Austrian rule." Thus Czechoslovakia became a Republic. That Republic was destroyed from within, as parts of the country deserted to the Swastika banner.

The bitter story is of recent date, it is a story that is shameful in the records of even Europe. The Hitler bluff was accepted at the Munich Conference to save a world war. That action is still debated, and usually approved by the best informed of our public men.

The American-made Republic couldn't live thru the European storm. So, about all that is left to be done is to spread flowers over its grave and ask God to bless and protect those people who have lost, for themselves and posterity, the blessings of "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness."

### RESOLUTION ON ALIENS

Senator Capper of Kansas has again introduced his Resolution in the Senate proposing a constitutional amendment to exclude aliens from being counted when determining membership in the House of Representatives. There are more than six million aliens in the United States and nearly one million four hundred thousand foreign born persons in New York state alone who are not citizens.

Senator Capper shows that the National House of Representatives has 33 members who represent these aliens. The cost to the National Government of these 33 representatives, including salaries to themselves and their secretaries and other expenses, is upwards of \$600,000 annually.

The useless expense and useless addition in numbers to our already unwieldy national House of Representatives is farcical, to say nothing of the utter absurdity of maintaining a situation in that body where aliens are, at least in theory, represented. As pointed out by Senator Capper, these Representatives of aliens may, in close contests in the House, hold the balance of power on vital questions. This alien population is mainly in New York, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts and California. Not having sworn allegiance to the government such aliens should not be represented in Congress, the Senator declared.

To those who look to precedent for every reform the following states according to Senator Capper, already exclude non-citizens from consideration in apportioning representation in their state legislative bodies: New York, Maine, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Tennessee, Kansas, Idaho, and California.

Certainly Senator Capper's proposed constitutional amendment should be submitted to the people, but first the people must be sufficiently aroused to force their Representatives and Senators in Congress to give them an opportunity to vote on the amendment. This is not as simple as it appears as a block of 33 members in the House has considerable power. Inaugurate a movement to reduce the present total representation of 137 members from New York, Massachusetts, Illinois, Pennsylvania, and California, any one of whom might be affected by such a change, and each Representative in these States forgets that he is a statesman and proceeds to save his own scalp.—Scottish Rites News Bureau.

### PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION

The interest rate to members of the Big Sandy Production Credit Association was reduced one half of one percent on all money advanced beginning February 24. Mr. Edward D. Holbrook Secretary-Treasurer announced for the Big Sandy Production Credit Association. "This is made possible," said Secretary Holbrook, "by the continued ready sale of Federal Intermediate Credit Bank debentures to the investing public bearing low rates of interest and the favorable operating results of the Federal Intermediate Credit Banks and the Production Credit Associations during 1938."

Secretary Holbrook explained that

the association discounts the farmers' notes which it takes with the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Louisville. "The new rate will be four and one-half percent per year, and as usual interest will be charged only for the period which the members actually have the money," continued Secretary Holbrook. "The reduction also is effective in all the other production credit associations thruout the country. This is the lowest rate at which production credit has been made available and the lowest discount rate made by the intermediate credit banks. Based upon the present volume of business, this interest reduction will result in annual savings of approximately \$800,000 to the 243,000 members of the 535 production credit associations in the United States."

The Big Sandy Production Credit Association, according to Secretary Holbrook, last year did a business totaling \$198,756.00. "These loans," he said, "are made for agricultural purposes, and repayments are made at the time when the member is best able to pay from the sale of crops or livestock or other operations financed. Some loans are made on the so-called budget plan, in which members get a commitment from the association to advance to them sums covering certain periods, thus enabling them to be sure of sufficient funds to carry them thru their agricultural operations and yet not have to pay interest on the entire amount for the whole season. The budget plan provides for advancing part of the entire amount as needed."

### MINIATURE WATER WHEEL

For father who likes hockeac, for mother who prides herself on corn-stick cookery, or for brother or sister who does or doesn't like mush, there is a nostalgic touch of yesterday or history or whatnot in the miniature over-shot water-wheel which is on display at the Winchester Milling Company.

Of course this greatly reduced replica of an ancient institution is in a modern interpretation, because the finely balanced wheel, whirled around and around at a speed never dreamed possible in the days when Sonny shelled a turn of corn and prepared lunch to carry with him on his half-day-plus trip to the mill to get the family's supply of corn-meal.

Oldtimers get a grin out of seeing a water-wheel set in motion by the turning of an electric switch, but Oscar Arnett, resident manager of the company, says that is the way the company has been run by H. H. Wheeler, of Ashland headed by his son, who took over old-fashioned principles and stuck them on to modern circuits, with up-to-date switches. The local concern is an affiliate of the Sandy Valley Grocery Company. It now has the mill under operation, with a capacity of 18 barrels of flour and 80 bushels of corn an hour, with by-products in addition.

Mr. Arnett announces that residents of Winchester, Clark and surrounding counties will be cordially welcomed whenever they want to come and view this delightful little water mill that an enthusiastic associate has constructed and placed on a stand in the office on Hill street. Children especially will be given a demonstration of the primitive power facilities that were utilized so long during the formative years of the state and nation.

P.S.—The milling capacity of the company refers to the larger plant, which is the serious concern of the company, and not to the water wheel. The product of the water-wheel is simple entertainment, and a lot of it, at that.—Winchester Sun.

Si Stacy of Stacy Fork spent Friday night here with his son, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Stacy and family.

## Births

Being the official record of the Registrar of Vital Statistics for Morgan County during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nester, Ezel, March 17, a girl—Marjory Marie.  
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox, Woodsbend, March 10, a girl—Sharlette Lee.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McGuire, New Cummer, March 17, a girl.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Havens, Ezel, March 15, a girl—Elizabeth Rose.  
Mr. and Mrs. Noah Keeton, West Liberty, March 16, girl, Lorella.  
Mr. and Mrs. Elijah Blair, Williams, March 17, girl—Rosette.  
Mrs. Alyne Stevens, West Liberty, March 22, girl—Patsy Ann.

### DEATHS

Mrs. Verlesia Barker, Yocum, Mar. 20, age 72.  
Wendell Hammonds, Lenox, March 6, infant, 4 days.  
Mrs. Lou Walters, Ezel, March 24, age 74.  
Mrs. Mary Trimble, March 21, West Liberty, age 73.

### WEST LIBERTY

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### COUNTY ORATO

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# MORGAN COUNTY SCHOOL PAGE

(Under Auspices of Ova O. Haney, County Supt.)

## WEST LIBERTY SCHOOL NEWS

### Junior IIIA Chapel Program

Devotional—Harold Barbour  
Why Our Class Has Become Famous—Jessie Tyree. Some of the main reasons were: Because of the hand-some countenance of Coburn Blair; the winning ways of Hankie Moore; the quiet manners of Gertrude Ferguson and Louise Tyree; Arnold Helton's marksmanship as a rabbit hunter; and Bronson Phipp's interest in the 10 cent store.

The curtains were drawn revealing a large black casket which was supposed to hold the bodies of the seniors. Two songs, "The Bodies of the Seniors" and "Blest be the Tie that Binds the Seniors' Coffin Lid," were sung by the juniors who were the mourners at the funeral.

The obituary was read by Victoria Cottle.  
The funeral oration was given by Hendrix Moore, who also read the will. To the juniors they left their art of cheating and all wads of chewing gum found parked on chairs. To Mr. Carpenter they bequeathed all the bits of chalk and paper thrown on the floor. To Mrs. Allen, Hudson Oldfield left his driving goggles that she might be able to see the faults of the seniors next year better than this year.

The pallbearers were:  
The Devil—Wayne Easterling  
Four Ghosts—Arnold Helton, Cecil Black, James Adkins and Arnold Tyler.

### The Month's Attendance

Due to an epidemic of mumps which has been raging in the community and county for several weeks our percentage of attendance is lower than usual.

Mrs. Turner	88%
Mrs. Burton	84
Miss Whitt	70
Miss Carter	90
Mrs. Byrd	64
Miss Cox	91
Mr. Burton	94
Mr. Barber	87
Mr. Cook	90
Mr. Benton	90
Mr. Bach	90
Mrs. Byrne	96
Mr. Nickell	96
Mr. Allen	96
General Average	88%

### BAND CONCERT STACY HOTEL

Monday at noon the M. C. H. S. Band gave a short open air concert at the Cole Hotel. They did not get to give a marching demonstration or parade on account of the rain.

The band received some very fine compliments from out of town visitors who know good bands when they hear them.

Mr. Roland Stacy, proprietor of Hotel donated \$10.00 to the band, also Mrs. Will Stacy donated \$5.00. We wish to thank all those who have so generously given to the band cause. Later we will publish a list containing the names of all those who have contributed to the band fund.

### CAMPION PTA TO PRESENT PLAY IN H. S. AUDITORIUM

The Campion Parent Teacher Association will present "A Hoodooed Coon," a farce in three acts in the High School Auditorium, Saturday, April 1, 7:30 P.M.

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

Misery Moon, a hoodooed coon—Chas. Fuks  
Gideon Blair, a millionaire—C. W. Starns  
Tom Rissle, slick as a whistle—Her-man Hanks  
Hiram Tutt, an awful nut—A. B. Kash  
Patrick Keller, a ticket seller—Henry Adams  
Samantha Slade, an old maid—Mildred Amett  
Rosebud Reece, a charming niece—Paulina Tyra  
Paula Moleek, a Bolsheveik—Bonnie Adams  
Lula Pearl, a ragtime girl—Isabell Taylor  
Admission: 15c for pupils; 25c for others. Morgan County High School to receive 30 percent of proceeds.

### COUNTY ORATORICAL CONTEST

The county oratorical contest sponsored by the Kentucky Bankers Association will be held in the high school auditorium, Monday evening, April 17, at 7:00 P.M.

Schools expecting to participate should notify Winfred L. Carpenter principal of Morgan County High School in order that proper arrangements may be made.

Remember this contest is confined to Seniors only.  
Subject: "The Value of the Bank to the Community."  
Length of Time: 6 minutes.  
Judges for this event will be selected from outside the county.

## KIWANIS CLUB ENTERTAINS

### MEMBERS BASKETBALL TEAM

On Wednesday evening of last week at 5:45 the Kiwanis Club was host to the members of the Morgan County High School Basketball squad at the Stacy Hotel.

The president of the Kiwanis Club Hon. Walter M. Gardner, opened the meeting with proper ceremonies.

Winfred L. Carpenter, principal of the high school presided and introduced the coach of the Morgan County High School, Don Carlos Burton. Coach Burton made a few preliminary remarks and then introduced the speaker of the evening, Ellis Johnson, Director of Athletics, Morehead State Teachers College, Morehead, Ky. Coach Johnson made a very interesting talk to the members of the basketball squad.

He developed the idea that athletics if properly directed and supervised would aid the individual in character development. He also mentioned the fact that athletics brings about a social consciousness that may not develop from any other source.

At the conclusion of Coach Johnson's address the following individuals were recognized. George Cook, treasurer of the athletic association of Morgan County High School, J. B. May and W. G. Ratliff, members of the County Board of Education, also Supt. Ova O. Haney.

Then Mr. Burton presented letters to the following players: Hendrix Moore, Charles Price, Wheeler Lykins, Curley Carpenter, S. E. Craft, Capt. Eugene Little, Anthony Peyton, Joe Haney, Stuart Lawson and Lawrence Byrd, manager.

Individual medals were presented Anthony Peyton and Eugene Little for outstanding performance on the hardwood during the season.

The Morgan County High School faculty and student body wishes to thank the members of the Kiwanis Club for their interest in our basketball team, and we hope to "ring up" more victories next year than we did during the season just past.

### BAND PROGRAM

The Transylvania Band rendered an unusually good program in the high school auditorium, Friday of last week at 2:40 P.M.

### PROGRAM

- (a) Fervent is My Longing—Jahann S. Bach
- (b) Organ Fugue in G Minor—Johann S. Bach
- Pictures at an Exhibition—M. Moussorgsky
- Atlantic Zephyrs—Gardell Simmons
- Pop! Goes the Weasel—Lucien Gailliet
- (a) Annie Laurie—Dudley Buck
- (b) Two Clocks—A. Rogers
- Dance of the Comedians—Friedrich Smetana
- Song of the Bayou—Rube Bloom
- Overture in G Minor—Anton Bruckner
- Rhapsody in Rhumba—David Ben-net

Due to the fact that the performance was in the afternoon a small audience was present. The proceeds amounted to \$19.95. The school received 30 percent of proceeds or \$5.98

### THE SEA

The sea is very wide  
But I can cross to the other side  
Since I'm too big to float,  
I'll ride in a swiftly, sailing boat.  
Betty J. Tyree, age 7, Third Grade.

Honor Roll First Grade—Ruth Evelyn Franklin, James Melvin Haney, Junior Ketterhagen, Josephine Turner, Stanley Dale Benton, Earl Ray Sheets, Gene Reese, Donald Williams, Hershel McKenzie, Donna Reed.

Sunshine Sue and her Rock Creek Rangers of the Morning Jamboree Gang appeared at the high school auditorium Monday, March 27. The proceeds of the program amounted to \$91.10. Amusement tax \$7.30; Amount received by school \$31.06.

### CANNEL CITY SCHOOL NEWS

Freshman Social Science Club  
The Social Science Club met March 24. After the business was disposed of, the meeting proceeded with an open forum discussion on: "Which Has a Better Form of Government, Russia or the United States," in which all members expressed their opinions.

A second open forum discussion was held on: "Should Property be Owned Publicly or Privately."

Finally, we held a current events contest, the girls vs. the boys. The boys won. The pupil answering the most questions was Mearle Walton.

GILBERT LEWIS, Secretary  
Misses Eunice Lewis and Lavina Wells of Wrigley spent Thursday night with Miss Thelma Black.

## CROCKETT SCHOOL NEWS

At the close of school we can look back on a year of hard work but with it are happy and enjoyable hours. We enrolled forty-seven pupils and ended with an enrollment of forty-six. Our attendance has been better than the preceding years attendance. The following thirteen pupils were awarded prizes for the year:

Second Grade—Magdalene Fyffe, Alma Fyffe, Bernice Roseberry, and Guy Gilbert.

First Grade—Harry Fyffe, Leo Fyffe, Lawrence Hutchinson, Edward Skaggs, Bert Roseberry, Irene Ball, Beth Smith, Edith Hutchinson, and Avis Wolfenbarger.

Those having perfect attendance for the seventh month of school are: Irene Ball, Alma Barker, Maxine Lyon, Ruth Phillips, Beth Smith, Avis Wolfenbarger, Bessaline Ball, Alma Fyffe, Magdalene Fyffe Lorene Hutchin-son, Harry Fyffe, Hargus Gilliam, Edward Skaggs, Eskill Wolfenbarger, Guy Gilbert, and Bernice Roseberry.

We have had two field trips during the year. One in early fall connected with a study of flowers. We collected specimens of our most common flowers and learned their names. We collected Christmas ferns, fern moss, community moss, pincushion moss, and mountain tea for our terrarium. The other trip was taken during a study of seed dispersal.

We have kept a record of the weather during school hours from November first to March twenty-fourth. Our record shows a total of 74 7-2 sunny days; 21 6-2 rainy days; 22 9-2 cloudy days; and 9 6-2 snowy days.

We have made several collections during a study of, Clothes We Wear. One of the most interesting is a collection of buttons.

We have been listening to the thirty minute science radio broadcasts for graded schools. As a group we will be unable to complete the series.

Thruout the year we have had a weekly program conducted by Missionary workers: Misses Thelma Let-terman, Stella Beckley and Ruth Barriks.

We have presented two programs during the year. A Christmas program for the PTA and a program for our mothers which was given March 22. Those present were: Mrs. Lopannar Lyon, Mrs. Jewell Lemaster, Mrs. Eulah Ball, Mrs. Gracie Wolfenbarger, Mrs. Susie J. Wolfenbarger, Mrs. Verna Phillips, Mrs. Lula Fannin, Mrs. Anna Hutchinson, Mrs. Mary F. Barker, Mrs. Belva Smith, Mrs. Carry Keeton, Mrs. Julia Fyffe, Mrs. Goldie Skaggs, and Mrs. Barbara Gilliam.

As Mrs. Rebecca Coley was unable to attend she was represented by her granddaughter, Miss Marie Whitt. Others present were: Misses Stella Beckley, Thelma Lettermann. There were ten small children present. The program consisted of choruses, Bible verses, two plays, demonstration of work we had been doing, and songs.

The following is a closing day song composed by the second grade:  
(Tune: Farmer in the Dell)  
It is time for school to close,  
It is time for school to close,  
Heigh-ho for vacation time,  
It is time for school to close.

We'll put away our books,  
We'll put away our books,  
Heigh-ho for vacation time,  
We'll put away our books.

For we've learned our lessons well,  
For we've learned our lessons well,  
Heigh-ho for vacation time,  
We've learned our lessons well.

Goodbye 'till next September,  
Goodbye 'till next September,  
Heigh-ho for vacation time,  
Goodbye 'till next September.

REVERE WHEELER, Teacher, Primary Grades.

### Middle Grades

The following pupils have had perfect attendance for the whole school year:

Third Grade—Edward Barker and Vaudie Smith.  
Fourth Grade—Mary Lou Barker and Mary Hutchinson.

Fifth Grade—Frank Conley, Arlie Cox, Billie Fannin and Mary Nickitos.

The students in the following grades have satisfactorily completed their year's work and were thus promoted one step farther up the educational ladder:

Third Grade—Nola Ferguson, Dovy Fyffe, Alma Fyffe, Vaudie Smith, Edward Barker, Russell Fyffe, Estill Wolfenbarger.

Fourth Grade—Mary Lou Barker, Monnie Conley, Ruby Dalton, Magdalene Fannin, Mary Hutchinson, Christine Lyon, Addie Wolfenbarger, Livel Barker, Roy Barker, Curt Barker, James Conley, Mervil Fannin, Homer Fyffe, Herbert Skaggs, Win-fred Wolfenbarger.

Fifth Grade—Evelyn Fannin, Leona Fannin, Olive Keeton, Mary

Nickitos, Frances Roseberry, Minnie Skaggs, Myre Skaggs, Jim Ball, Frank Conley, Arlie Cox, Chester Fannin, Billie Fannin, Curt Ferguson, Glenn Gilliam and Earl Keeton. Leona Fannin, who some weeks ago, underwent an operation for appendicitis, at the Kings Daughters Hospital, has returned to school before its closing. We were very happy to welcome her back.

The following program was given, Friday, March 24, as part of the closing day exercises:

Song, America—The Group  
Poems and Readings—Members of the Third, Fourth and Fifth Grades  
Dialogues: Brown's Unlucky Day  
The Opening of School  
Brother Jedediah  
Seein' May Off

ISAAC FERGUSON, Teacher  
Sixth and Seventh Grades

Those with perfect attendance for the entire school year were:  
Sixth Grade—McCoy Smith and Rinford Hutchinson.

Seventh Grade—Iris Hutchinson, Norwood Barker, Graydon Sloas and Willie Skaggs.

Those on the honor roll for the seventh month of school were:  
Sixth Grade—McCoy Smith.

Seventh Grade—Iris Hutchinson, Norwood Barker, Clyde Ferguson, and Willie Skaggs.

Prizes were given for perfect attendance and each pupil in school was given a little token by the teacher to show appreciation for their efforts and cooperation.

Much interest was shown thruout the school year in the Boons and Penns contest. The Penns were the final winners and were awarded prizes for their efforts.

Our greatest recreational activities this year have been concerned chiefly with basketball. We organized a club at the beginning of school. We have greatly enjoyed the opportunity to share the use of the gymnasium and were winners in all the games played during the season.

The program was presented Friday at the closing of the grades school year:

Song, "Good Morning Parents"—All  
Poem, "Welcome Address"—G. Ison  
A Comedy, "Too Many Wives" of Characters were:

Jack Stanford—Norwood Barker  
Honey Bea, Jack's wife—Iris Hutchinson  
Bridget, colored cook—Bertha Fyffe  
Frank Dalton, Jack's college chum—C. Ferguson

Will, Honey Bea's cousin—Woodrow Ison  
Uncle John, Jack's rich uncle, Willie Skaggs

"A Negro Minstral" Characters:  
Glenn Ball, Clyde Ferguson, McCoy Smith, Daryl Gilliam, Graydon Sloas, Gila Conley, Iris Hutchinson, Bertha Fyffe, Woodrow Ison and Norwood Barker.

Song, Goodbye Teacher"—All  
We wish every one a very happy vacation and will say Goodbye until the fall of '39.

JEWELL WHEELER, Teacher

### FAKES AND CURE-ALLS

One of the finest and most noble traits of the American people is their sublime trustfulness. We pride ourselves on being a nation of hard-headed dollar-chasers, when the truth of the matter is that we are one of the most gullible peoples on earth.

The American people spent each year over thirty dollars per capita for medical service and supplies. Of this sum more than half goes for what? PATENT MEDICINE. We spent actually more for patent medicine than we do for medicines that are prescribed by physicians plus mention what we pay for hospital care. In other words, we as a people, who complain of our tax burden, and of the high cost of living, actually devote more hard-earned cash to the support of patent medicine than we do to the support of our legitimate, scientific and honest medical and hospital services.

Does this make sense? If you need to have your car fixed, do you put a shot of some patented dope in the gas tank, that is guaranteed to do everything from setting the timing to tightening up the main bearings? Of course not. You go to a mechanic who is qualified to tell you what is the matter with your car, and let him examine your car. When he has found where the trouble is, the cure for it is not hard to find, that is, if you can pay for it.

Suppose, though, that when you needed a new part for your car, or some adjustment on it, you bought some patented gadget that was supposed to work equally well as a piston ring, a head gasket, or a fuel pump. And suppose you bought this,

without first consulting a mechanic to see where the trouble really lay, what do you think would be the chance of helping the running of your car by such means? Would it not be far more costly than paying a mechanic for his skill and knowledge, and getting the part or adjustment that you really need?—DR. WALLACE BYRD.

### DEVELOPMENT OF A LISTENING CENTER

Several months ago an idea was born in Morgan county—an idea between Mr. Bernard E. Whitt, Mr. Ova O. Haney and I. This idea today has been developed—developed to such an extent that it is being looked upon by the educational world as a means of taking education of today to each and every school child no matter how far back in the remote sections of the mountainous county. Thru this idea education as it is being enacted can be taken to the child. This idea was the installation of a small but efficient educational broadcasting station in each county. These stations will operate on a federal authorized frequency between 41020 and 42000 kilocycles with a minimum output of 1000 watts. Our first transmitter which we are planning to use will be only 35 watts output. This transmitter is being built especially for us by the radio engineers of Radio Station WHAS in Louisville.

Lee county has been chosen for this experimentation. We are planning on using circuits, plans and designs for all receivers which we have developed in our WPA educational shops in West Liberty. It must be understood that any radio equipment which we found on the market today was not suitable for this ultra high frequency band on which we must operate. Therefore it was necessary for special equipment to be designed. This has been done and tested by our transmitter in West Liberty.

We hope to give you some proof of our deeds within the next year.

I have been informed by our Louisville office that I will be transferred to Lexington in just a few days. The development of this project has been largely due to the excellent aid given us by Elmer G. Salter, Director of Radio Studios of the University of Kentucky. It was he who brought out our idea from the blue prints, etc., to the equipment itself. Our new laboratory and shops are being provided for by Mr. Salter and will be located in rooms to the new radio studios, on top floor of McVey building on the campus of the University.

Should our experimentations be a success we plan several similar stations over the state. Morgan county will undoubtedly be one of the first and I am eagerly looking forward to the time when I can return to West Liberty and install one of these stations.

It has been a great pleasure to be one of the WPA adult teachers working in connection and under the direction and supervision of the area supervisor and the board of education.

I extend to each of you an invitation to visit me at our new location any time you can come.

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### Students Home

Last week ended the following students arrived home for the week end and some for spring vacation: From Morehead came Robert Caskey, Virgil Coffee, Dwayne Bellamy, Ocie Wingo and from Lexington Beauty School, Miss Lurline Reed; from Lees College, Jackson, for spring vacation, Misses Margaret Nickell, Lucille Nickell, Martha Fannin, and Joe Caudill.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF KENTUCKY  
IN THE MATTER OF  
SAMUEL MCKEE BRADLEY  
BANKRUPT  
NOTICE OF SALE  
Notice is given that the undersigned will sell at the Court House door at West Liberty, Morgan County, Kentucky, on Saturday, April 1st, 1939, at the hour of 2:30 o'clock P.M., Central Standard time, the following described real estate situated in Morgan County, Kentucky:

I. 220 acres more or less on Elm Log Creek, a tributary of Licking River in Morgan County, Kentucky, 200 acres being conveyed to S. M. Bradley by deed recorded in Deed Book 58, page 142, 100 acres being conveyed to him by deed recorded in Deed Book 58, page 140, excepting from the above parcels 80 acres conveyed by deed in Deed Book 61, page 575, to which reference is made for more particular description.

II. A certain parcel on Rush Branch of Elk Fork of Licking River as described in deed recorded in Deed Book 41, page 484, to which reference is made for complete description, containing five acres.

Said parcels will be sold separately, purchaser to assume and pay all taxes due and payable in the year 1938 and thereafter. Also, they will be sold free of all liens, any valid liens to attach to proceeds of sale. Terms of sale: Cash. Any parcel bringing less than 75% of the appraised value shall be sold subject to approval of the court.

The undersigned will furnish any further information upon request.  
(S) W. H. DYSARD, Trustee in Bankruptcy for Samuel McKee Bradley, Ashland, Kentucky.

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## BETHEL CHAPEL

Mrs. Jeff Haney, who has been sick, has been at Seco being doctored. She was brought home last week and took worse. She was then taken to Dr. Henry's at Winchester. She was brought back Thursday and seems to be improving some. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Johnny Caudill and Stanley Taulbee of Reading, Ohio, spent Saturday night here with Mr. Caudill's sister, Mrs. Jeff Haney and family.

Rev. Harlan Keeton of Jones Creek filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Stacey is spending a few days this week with her daughter, Mrs. Mort Peyton, of Grassy Creek.

Little Janice Burton of West Liberty is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Renny Stacy, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Green Lacy Jr. spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Jack Wheeler, of North Middletown.

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## CANEY

March 27.—The death angel visited the home of W. M. Elam Saturday evening and took his wife, Margaret Elam Elam. She leaves to mourn her departure her husband, and two sons, Winfred Elam of West Virginia and Franklin Elam of here. Burial was at the Wheeler cemetery.

Harlan Haney and family moved last week to Bath county. Also Hershel Morris of Wayland moved to the V. T. Cochran property here.

The Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Morris were Rev. Henry Lykins and daughter, Marie, of Campton, and Arbury Burton of Sky, Mrs. Nancy E. Morris and Jewell Vance of Vancefork and Larue Peyton of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bailey and daughter, Bonnie, motored to Carlisle Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Morris are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ren Morris, a few days.

The dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Reed Saturday were, Mr. and Mrs. Kalep Allen and Mrs. Sam Collins of Cannel City.

Mr. and Mrs. Wardie Craft and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Craft and Finley Littler were visiting os Middlefork over the week end.

Palmer Barker of Lykins was the Saturday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Astor Barker.

Caneys boasts of another new store recently put up by Wardie Craft. Winfred Elam of West Virginia, was called to the bedside of his mother, who died within a short time after his arrival, Saturday evening.

MT. GIRL

## YOCUM

March 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Robbins and Mrs. Myrtle Robbins of this place had business in West Liberty Thursday.

Misses Ruby and Ruth Henry of Licking River visited their grandfather, J. F. Lewis and family, last week.

Aunt Jose Cox and Mrs. Pearl Howard and daughter, Betty and Miss Hazel Cox spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. R. B. McGuire and family at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lewis and family had business in Morehead one day last week.

Bible School has been conducted at Lower Pleasant Run schoolhouse from Monday, March 6, to Friday, March 17. The total enrollment was twenty-eight and an average attendance of twenty each day. Saturday afternoon were the closing exercises. After the singing of choruses, scripture reading and prayer, the "String of Pearls" was retold by Wilma Jean Lewis, Bessie Lewis, Phyllis Engle, Mary Alice Hurley and Ruth Robbins gave Books of the Bible. The story of David, the Shepherd Boy, was retold by Vernon Ray Engle. The verses of the 19th Psalm were given by the older class: Julietta Cox, Geneva Cox, Hazel Cox, Mrs. Lorraine Hurley, Mrs. Cassie Lewis, Dorothy Engle, Phyllis Engle, Vernon Ray Engle, Mary Alice Hurley, Bessie Lewis, Betty Lewis, Joeline Lewis, Ruth Robbins, Leatha Dell Whitt and Nelma Jean Whitt. As two children started a day late they were rewarded with Wall Mottoes. Their names are: Wilma Jean Lewis and Chalmers Engle.

BROWN EYES

Miss Thelma Black visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spurluck, over the week end.

## SPAWS CREEK

March 27.—Roger Cateron of this place had business in Middletown last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Murdie Ison of Elliott county visited Mr. and Mrs. Willie Blevins.

Mrs. Nola Patrick has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wingo of this place visited Mr. and Mrs. Martin Pelfrey of Dingus.

Elbert Ferguson, who had been employed at Morehead, has returned home.

Sherman, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Wright, is very ill.

## KELLACEY

March 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rich of Dayton, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Manning of Morrow, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. Buford Mays, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Cox and George Mays of Whites Branch visited Mrs. H. B. Mays Sunday.

Bob Mays of Wellington visited relatives in this section last week end. Mrs. Willie Peyton and little daughter visited Mrs. Steve Kash at Omer Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Mays were at West Liberty Saturday.

Thomas Cox was at West Liberty Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Mays and little daughter of Dan visited Floyd Mays and family Saturday night and Sunday.

## BUSHKIRK

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chaney had as dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Chaney of Grassy Creek and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chaney and children, Darrell, Jerrell and Loretta. Mrs. Laura Patrick has been at Campton for the past week.

Mrs. Milt Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lumpkins and children were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Montgomery Saturday.

Mrs. Maggie Chaney of Grassy Creek visited with friends and relatives at this place the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Little of Irvine, visited Mrs. Little's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Nickell, the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cundiff visited at Grassy Creek Sunday.

Vernon Weddington, who has been the CCC camp for two years is home with his parents for a few days.

Mrs. Emily Chaney of Grassy Creek visited a few days with friends and relatives at this place. TOOTSYS

## GRASSY VALLEY

Russell Roe and Sam Maxwell were Sunday guests of Mrs. Emma Haney of Grassy Creek.

John Henry Gibson of Grassy Creek had as guests Sunday evening Jesse Roe, Clyde McGuire, Kenzie Rudd, Pride Sowards, Charlie Rudd and Ida Havens.

Mrs. Myrtle Roe and Junior Elam spent Sunday with Lisle Roe and family at Liberty Road.

Mrs. Ida Wilson of New Cummer was the Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Estill Walters at Grassy Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roe spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rudd and family of New Cummer.

Elizabeth Cecil of Grassy Creek was the Sunday evening guest of Mrs. Clara Wilson at New Cummer.

Graydon and John Paul Rudd of Mt. Sterling were calling on Jake McNeely Saturday evening at New Cummer.

Curby Wheeler and family have moved in with his father, Wash Wheeler of Grassy Creek.

Russell Moore and family of Middletown, Ohio, have recently moved back to the home of his father at New Cummer.

BLUE EYES

## NEAL VALLEY

March 21.—H. A. Spurluck and son, Billy Warren, of Morehead, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spurluck Sunday.

W. L. Spurluck and daughter, Emma, attended the funeral of Will Press Carpenter of Salyersville Sunday.

Jeanette Neal spent Sunday with Joice Ashley of West Liberty.

Carrie Adams of Middletown, Ohio, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Adams.

Louise May and Oma Della Easterling of West Liberty were calling on Louise Neal Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor May and children spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. May's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henry, of Flat Woods.

Mrs. Dewey Dennis and daughter, Violet, and Versie Davis spent Sunday with Aunt Fannie Reid.

Russell Wells and Arnold Helton, Iris Mae, Imogene Adams, Ova Patrick of Paris were Sunday night guests of Jeanette and Louise Neal.

Rev. Frank Sowards filled Mack Province's appointment here Sunday. Jim May of Licking River is working on the farm for W. L. Spurluck this week.

BEAUTIFUL BROWN EYES

## MIDDLE FORK

Mrs. Lizzie Lewis and daughter, Rhea Mae, of Straight Creek, were the Thursday night guests of Mrs. Hillard Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holbrook and three children, Sally and Rufus Smith all went to Lenox to visit relatives the week end.

Miss Marjorie Cox went to Paintsville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wright had as their guests Sunday, Bee and Junior Smith, Arkie Montgomery, Willie Cox and Leonard Smith and several others.

Lizzie Wright and son, Paul, and O. L. Smith were the Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Autie Day.

Clarence Smith has purchased a car.

Mrs. Rissie Smith and daughter, Ruth, were the Sunday evening guests of Mrs. Clarence Smith and daughter, Cora Louise.

## JEPHTHA

March 2.—Elder and Mrs. R. H. Ferguson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Williams of Elamton. They have with them Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. Ed Webb, whose health is very good considering her age.

A. N. Reynolds of Ashland was here last week in the interest of the Kentucky and Ohio Gas Company, who recently bought the holdings of the Blaine Oil and Gas Company in Elliott and Morgan counties.

Mrs. Myrtle Beculimer was the Sunday guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Odrey Bolen, of Dingus.

Elders A. C. Bradley and R. H. Ferguson with other ministers are billed to preach at Harve Williams School House near Logville the second Sunday in April.

Mrs. J. L. Lyons of Crockett passed thru here one day last week after visiting at Florress.

Mrs. Henry Spradlin of Ivel, who is slowly recovering from a very serious illness is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Beculimer.

Ben Bolen Jr. made a business trip in Johnson and Lawrence counties last week.

A. M. Bolen received news that his son-in-law, a Mr. Skaggs of Terryville was seriously ill. After returning, he reports him better, converted and baptized.

Marvin Hamilton of Spitwood has a smile that won't wear off. Not only is he rejoicing over the arrival of a new heir, but he has a position on the WPA project on Williams Creek.

Spring is sure coming. As the buds begin to swell I must soon go to work, I know very well.

That Biblical injunction, Is far from a treat, "If you don't work, You shall not eat."

SLAB

## FLAT WOODS

March 27.—Mr. and Mrs. Olney Kempkin of Dayton, Ohio, were the guests over the week end of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Kempkin, and Mr. and Mrs. George Blankenship, of Bonny.

Mrs. Herbert Bailey of Omer was the Saturday night guest of her sister, Mrs. Sherman Robison.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley Gose and daughter, Janice and Una Gray, were the Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Adams.

Mrs. Less May, Mrs. D. O. Carpenter and Byron May were in Ashland last Thursday.

Mrs. Anderson Hays was the Saturday night guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bertha Gibson, who is ill.

Uncle Andy Amyx was the Sunday night guest of G. B. Cox and family.

Mrs. Martha Brooks had a working Saturday and those present were: Claude Cox, Kern Sheets, Edd Brooks, Marion Lawhorn, Chester McKinney, Curtis Carpenter, Vandal Sheets, Mack Cox, Walter Cox, James Gunnell, Mason Gunnell, Hurshel Barker, Stanford Helton, Jesse Cox, Ernest Coffee, Jesse Willard Coffee, Roll Carpenter, Junior Fugate, Susie Craft, Pearl Barker and Ina Mae Barker, Matt Gunnell, Vergie Wilson and children, Christine and J. E. Wilson, Lizzie Cox and daughter, Maxine Cox, Sillar Sheets and children, Virginia, Ruby and Vena Rose, Erline, Elizabeth and W. H. Sheets.

Misses Emodean Carpenter of Woodsbend and Corabelle Cox were Sunday guests of Monelle Hale.

Louis DeBusk of Goad Ridge is doing carpenter work for J. S. Roberson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Engle and daughter, Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. John May were Sunday guests of Mrs. W. P. Henry and son, Orville.

Virgie and Earlwood May spent the week end with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Clark Leach, at Straight Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Ratliff and Mr. and Mrs. Ova Ratliff and little son, Tommie Gail, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hale at Straight Creek.

UNCLE ZIP

## TWENTYSIX

March 27.—Mrs. R. C. Day and children of Dehart spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rowland.

George Ross and son, Oso, were Thursday night guests of Carl Jackson of Mize.

Mrs. Marion Perry and daughter, Kathleen, spent Sunday with Mrs. Elmer Bays, of Zag, who is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Clevenger and son, Charles Ray, of Wrigley, visited Mrs. Mrs. Clevenger's mother, Alice Perry, last Saturday night.

Several from here attended court Monday.

NURTS

## CANNEL CITY

March 28.—Mrs. G. C. Lykins is in a Paintsville hospital. She is seriously ill.

Mrs. Irene Vance spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Martha Risner, who is in the Morgan County Hospital.

Mrs. Clyde Cottle, Mrs. Walter Howard and Miss Billie Howard went to Paintsville Saturday to see their mother and Billie's grandmother, Mrs. G. C. Lykins.

Finley Lykins, Clyde Cottle and Rockford Lewis were in a car wreck and Mr. Lewis was hurt pretty badly but the other two were not hurt much.

Mrs. Mildred Gullett spent Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Martha Risner, who is in the Morgan County Hospital.

LONESOME

## GRASSY CREEK

March 30.—Rev. D. W. Beculimer of Dingus filled his regular appointment at Grassy Lick during the week end.

Emma Amyx, Kathryn Tipton and Mr. and Mrs. Durward Amyx of Sellers were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ova Amyx and attended church at Grassy Lick.

Malva Peyton of Jackson college, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Western Peyton, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gevedon of Stacy Fork recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Estill Gevedon, here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haney had as Sunday afternoon guests Mr. and Mrs. George Haney of Mize, Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Combs of Irvine, Mrs. Cee Allen of Stillwater and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blevins of Index.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spurlock and children and Paul Patton of Morehead visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Patton, here Sunday.

O GEE!

## GRASSY

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Goodpaster of Phillips Branch were the week end guests of Willie Goodpaster and family.

Miss Maureen Chaney had as guests Sunday afternoon, Misses Genorma Caskey, Violet Ferguson and Dorothy Cundiff, Evelina Stuart, Mrs. Maggie McClure of Grassy and Clifford Haney of Stacy Fork.

Mrs. Willie Goodpaster of Grassy spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Phelps, of Winchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sowards of Grassy visited Sunday with friends and relatives of Carder.

Era Mae Goodpaster is spending this week with her grandmother of Phillips Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Estill Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Goodpaster were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Gevedon.

Miss Flannery, Demetris Kempkin of Sandy Hook visited last week with Mrs. Nora Leach of Grassy.

Glen Oakley of Middletown is visiting friends and relatives of this community.

## FLORRESS

March 29.—Wiley Williams of this place and Madge Sloas of Elamton, were quietly married Monday at the county judge's office at West Liberty. The bride is the step daughter of Pierce Adkins of Elamton, the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Williams of this place. Those present at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Lacy, Manda and Mabel Lacy, Jesse Nickell, Anna Adkins, and Delmer Williams. They both have many friends and the writer wishes them much happiness.

B. Williams, who had been in the CCC camp at Dawson Springs, came home Saturday.

Jesse Nickell, who had been in a CCC camp at Stearns, came home Saturday.

Anna Clay Frederick, who had been employed at her brother's, Mr. and Mrs. Fenley Frederick, of White Oak, returned home one day last week.

Mrs. Clay Williams and son, Delmer attended the funeral of her father, H. C. McGuire, of Lykins last week.

H. C. Frederick, who had been ill for some time, is able to be out again. J. V. Frederick of this place is employed at Emrick's restaurant at West Liberty.

EVENING STAR

Oscar Arnett of Caney and Winchester was in town Monday.

## MIZE

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Oldfield entertained for dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Cecil's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lexie Lawson have a new son, born the past week.

Mrs. Maggie Pieratt, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ulysses Tackett, of Ashland, has returned home.

C. S. Jackson and family were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Woodford Pieratt and Mrs. Maggie Pieratt. Ezra Bach, Wilmer and J. W. Cecil have recovered from mumps and will return to school this week.

Mrs. E. R. Mayabb has been visiting Mrs. Ernest Amburn, the past week.

S. B. Rose and family attended a surprise birthday party given in honor of Julia Rose at her home on Greasy Saturday night. Mrs. S. B. Rose presented the birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Halsey entertained for dinner Sunday Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Nickell and son, Roger Lee.

Wedding bells have been ringing in this vicinity.

Denzil Wells and Lucille Montgomery were married this week. They were entertained by an old time charivari at the home of the bridegroom. We wish them a long, successful married life.

Cletis Phipps, little son of Charley Phipps, is now in Hazel Green hospital as a result of a fall when he cut a large place under the eye. Stitches had to be taken but the doctor thinks eye sight is uninjured. Mrs. Charley Phipps is with him.

## LICKING RIVER

March 28.—Mrs. Mollie Henry and son, Powell, had as week end guests Rev. and Mrs. Earl Morris and Rev. Morris' mother of Cannel City and Mrs. Jimmie Adams and children of West Liberty.

Woodrow Wells and Miss Naomi Wells have mumps and are pretty poorly.

Mrs. Frankie Lewis is at West Liberty caring for her sister, Miss Mavis Wells, who has mumps.

Mrs. Melvin Wells and children and Mrs. James Donohue of Elm Log were guests of Mrs. James Henry Saturday.

Mrs. J. B. Wells and daughter, Naomi, were calling on Mrs. Jesse Gibson of Hill Top one day last week.

Mrs. Math Lewis attended the funeral of Mrs. Nelse Trimble, at Wrigley Wednesday.

Mrs. Melvin Wells gave her husband a surprise party on his birthday Friday. It was his 29th birthday. He received several presents. The following guests were there: Mrs. Minnie Day, Viley Day, Orpha and Dorothy Day, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Evans and children, Mrs. J. C. May, Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lewis and baby, Robert and Mathie Wells and son, Tommy, Elmer and Burt Fugate, Opal and Jewell Adkins, Mrs. James Donohue and son, and Harvey, and John May. Home made candy was served and all had a nice time and wished Melvin many more happy birthdays.

## WAR CREEK

March 28.—The young folks of this community gave Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brooks a pound party Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Robbins of Elk Fork, Strawther Elam and daughter, Wilma Jean, Anna Ethel Johnson, Lexie Johnson, Edna Belle Shaver, Stella Shaver, Rex Potter, Leander Riggsby, Bill, Jimmie and Stewart Johnson, of Cow Branch, Everett and Homer Patrick, Lonnie and Leander Brooks, H. B. Cottle, Edmond Jenia, John Frank Littler, Jake Littler of Cottle, Mae, Lola, and Harold Tyree, Mabel Cottle and Ralph Pelfrey of this place, Paul Wright, Melvin Wright and Henry D. Johnson of Spaws Creek and several others. Victrola music and games were the chief entertainments. Candy was served. The young folks all left saying they had enjoyed the evening.

Miss Alma Hamilton has been confined to her room for the past few days with mumps.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Potter, a boy.

Mrs. Sherman Robbins of Elk Fork spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Smith Elam of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brooks were the Sunday night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks, of Cottle.

Miss Lola Tyree was the Tuesday

night guest of her aunt, Mrs. T. H. Easterling, of Florress.

Harold Tyree was the Saturday night guest of Bill and Jimmie Johnson of Cow Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jenina of Jones Creek.

Mrs. Charlie Lacy was the Sunday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ross here.

SWEETHEART

## MOSTLY PERSONAL

Mrs. Bessaline Allen of Hindman was visiting at home Sunday.

S. Monroe Nickell of Lexington, is attending court here this week.

Mrs. Anna Vance of White Oak, was in town Wednesday attending court.

Alonzo Elam has opened a lunch room in the new theater building on Main street.

Miss Opal Ferguson of Williams Creek has been installed as nurse for Mrs. John Carter.

Robert Lee Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Blair, is absent from school with mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Tevis Hugely have moved to their home at Bayes. Mr. Hugely is still continuing his work here.

Miss Elizabeth Williams, who is attending Fugazzi Business School at Lexington, spent last week end at home.

Mrs. Will Click of Elliott county spent last Tuesday night with Mrs. W. O. Blair. Wednesday she attended the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Nelse Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Gilliam and family moved today to an apartment in the house vacated by Henry Carr Rose, on Main Street. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Childers and family will move the first of next month to the other part of the house.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lindon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lindon, little Sally Ann Emrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Emrick, of Campton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Emrick here Sunday. They were treated to a delicious turkey dinner at the Emrick restaurant.

## Card of Thanks

We take this means of expressing our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness during the illness and death of our beloved mother, Mrs. Nelse Trimble. We especially wish to thank the ministers, the choir and all who sent floral offerings.

THE FAMILY

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Marjorie, little daughter of Raymond DeBusk of Woodsbend, was brought to the hospital this week to be treated for Meningitis, a disease of the head.

Mrs. Herbert Taulbee of Maytown who had some